



MAIL STOP
AMENDMENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: M.J. Finocchio Attorney Docket No.: MSFT116732
Application No.: 10/001,635 Group Art Unit: 2122
Filed: October 30, 2001 Examiner: C.O. Kendall
Title: SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR IMPLEMENTING
OBJECT PROPERTY GROUPING

AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER/
PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Seattle, Washington 98101

June 23, 2005

TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:

A. Amendment Transmittal

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application. No additional claim fee is required, as shown below.

COMPUTATION OF FEE FOR CLAIMS AS AMENDED

	Claims Remaining After Amendment		Highest Number Previously Paid For		Present Extra		Rate		Additional Fee
Total Claims	38	-	38	=	0	x	50	=	0
Independent Claims	3	-	3	=	0	x	200	=	0
TOTAL									\$0

B. Petition for Extension of Time

Applicant respectfully requests that the shortened statutory period for response to the outstanding Office Action dated December 23, 2004, set to expire on March 23, 2005, be extended by 3 months, to expire on June 23, 2005. The enclosed check includes the 3-month extension fee of \$1020.00.

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C. Fees Enclosed

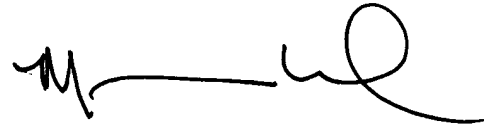
Enclosed is our Check No. 164436 in the amount of \$1020.00 to cover the request for extension of time fee.

D. Additional Fee Charges or Credit for Overpayment

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16, 1.17 and 1.18 which may be required during the entire pendency of the application, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 03-1740. This authorization also hereby includes a request for any extensions of time of the appropriate length required upon the filing of any reply during the entire prosecution of this application. A copy of this document is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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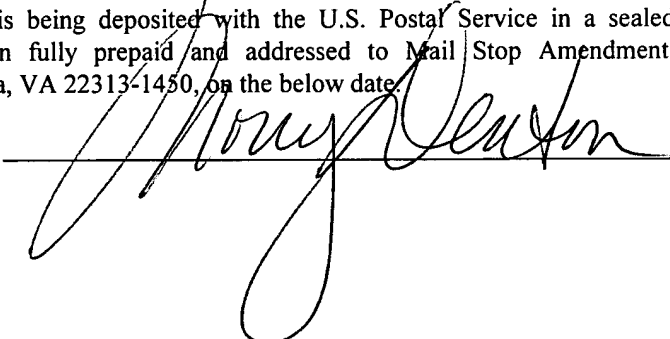
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